

'JOCK'S WAGGIN' TONGUE

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Our greetings and best wishes go to the bride of the week—Anetta Weiss, now Mrs. Schumacher.

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Doug. Henderson has a real choice nigger story this week.

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Buddy Weiss is sporting a new motorcycle for travelling to school. We wish you better roads, Buddy.

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U. G. G. President Issues Statement on Wheat Policy

WINNIPEG, Sept. 25.—R. S. Law, president of United Grain Growers Limited, last week issued a statement on behalf of the board of directors of that company advocating a payment on an acreage basis to western wheat farmers, comparable to the cost of living bonus, to compensate farmers for increased cost prevailing this year and to remedy the deficiency in western farm income. The statement is as follows:

"It is becoming more evident every day that western wheat income is inadequate for the satisfactory maintenance of agricultural production in western Canada. The situation calls for full government review at the earliest possible moment to bring about an adjustment in this matter. Western farmers are suffering not only from reduced production caused by adverse weather conditions and by their compliance with the government plan for wheat acreage reduction; they are suffering from increased costs of living and operation due to the rise of prices in Canada. Adjustment of income is required for exactly the same reasons which have brought about cost of living bonuses in industry and in the civil service, and is more urgently required because farmers have to provide not only for cost of living but also for cost of operation.

"There are several possible methods of making such an adjustment. One would be a considerable increase in the basis of initial payments for wheat by the Canadian Wheat Board. The board of directors of United Grain Growers Limited advocated such an increase as far back as last January. It now feels it necessary however, because of subsequent developments, to put forward a suggestion for an alternative basis. One reason is that the government has now twice refused to make such an increase. Another

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COLORADO TRAIL AIDS RESCUE OF BRITISH AIRMEN

Trailing a chemical which gives off a stream of brilliant yellow in the sea, is a member of a British air crew supposedly shot down and adrift. The yellow path left on the sea by the chemical enable spotting aircraft to see the dinghy more easily.

BRITISH WRITER EXPLAINS CORN ON THE COB

The British people may learn why "corn on the cob" is a prime North American favorite. Just now they wonder.

The London newspapers discovered an intrepid British farmer is growing one and a half acres of sweet corn, which will go on sale for cob eating at 16 cents per ear, and one writer undertook to explain it this way:

"Corn is a favorite food in North America where it is grown largely in the Southern States. It is regarded as a great delicacy by Anglo-Indians throughout the west.

"The cob is boiled for 15 minutes and served like a potato in its jacket. The leaves are removed, butter or margarine is spread over the corn and it is sprinkled with pepper and salt.

"Then, holding it at the ends, you nibble the corn like a rabbit."

Cost of Living Bonus to Wheat Farmers Urged

Line Elevators Lay Case Before Dominion Government

Additional government assistance to wheat farmers in the form of a cost of living bonus on 1941 wheat acreage, or by way of grants to families of wheat farmers, is urged in a telegram forwarded to Hon. J. G. Gardiner, Federal Minister of Agriculture, by The North-West Line Elevators Association. It is pointed out that raising the price to be paid by the Canadian Wheat Board alone is not sufficient to meet the situation as there are thousands of wheat farmers who will have little or no wheat to market.

The wire reads:

"Hon J. G. Gardiner, Minister of Agriculture, Ottawa, Ont.

"Due to partial crop failures over large areas of Western Canada and total failure over other areas along with advancing cost of living, wheat farmers are receiving less than is essential to provide the necessities of life. With the cost of living index now at 113.7 and steadily rising the present initial payment of the Canadian Wheat Board together with government assistance under the acreage bonus plan and the Prairie Farm Assistance Act is inadequate to meet the ordinary needs of wheat farmers and their families. The government has recognized the need for monetary relief for industrial workers by establishing the cost of living bonus.

"Our Association respectfully urges that the dominion government immediately review the position of the wheat farmer with a view to giving assistance by way of a grant to each family or through a cost of living bonus based on wheat acreage sown in 1941. Much land on the prairies is suitable only for the growing of wheat and farmers on this land are unable to receive any benefit from governmental policies in encouragement of production of livestock and coarse grains. In the opinion of our Association raising of the price to be paid by the Wheat Board alone would not meet the situation.

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Marriage of Local Interest Occurs at Victoria, B.C.

(From Victoria, B. C. papers)

PECKE-VOUT-WILLIAMSON

A graduate of the Royal Jubilee Hospital was the bride at a quite ceremony at the Metropolitan United Manse, Johnson Street, last evening at 8, where Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, D.D., united in marriage Miss Ada St. Clair Williamson, R.N., youngest daughter of Mrs. C. A. Williamson of Champion, Alta., and Mr. Melville Pecke-Vout, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Pecke-Vout, 1845 King's Road, Victoria.

The bride was given in marriage by her mother and was a pretty picture in her gown of primrose yellow silk net over tulle, the slim, fitted bodice having a round yoke marked with tiny primrose bows, buttoned at the back, full bishop sleeves, the skirt falling in soft fullness to the floor. Her chapel veil of primrose net was caught to the hair with orange blossoms, and she carried a bouquet of sweet-heart roses, white carnations and pale pink gladioli.

Her sister, Mrs. J. C. Anderson of Champion, Alta., was maid of honor in a floorlength jacket frock of cerise sheer over tulle, with shirtings on the waist and bracelet sleeves, with which she wore fresh rose carnations in her hair and carried a bouquet of rose carnations and chrysanthemums. Mr. Harold Price, Victoria, was groomsman.

After the ceremony, the bridal party returned to the home of the groom's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Minckler, 2303 Pacific Avenue, where a reception was held for intimate friends. Mrs. Williamson assisted the hostess in receiving, wearing a black frock with gold accents; a black hat with purple plume, and white accessories, and a corsage bouquet of carnations. Mrs. Minckler wore a floorlength gown of deep plum blue chiffon and a corsage bouquet of carnations.

Mrs. Pecke-Vout, mother of the groom, was gowned in flowered crepe, with corsage bouquet of carnations. During the reception Mrs. Douglas Ritchie sang "O Promise Me," and Harry Morrison sang "You and I," accompanied at the piano by Mr. Albert Denon.

The rooms were massed with golden rod, Michaelmas daisies, gladioli and other autumn flowers and refreshments were served from a table covered with a hand-made lace cloth, centred with the traditional wedding cake and decorated with pink carnations and white candles.

After a honeymoon in England, for which the bride and groom were given a blue and grey pin-striped suit, rose and white polka dot dress, black sweetheart hat, and accessories, the young couple will make their home at 1845 King's Street.

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uation. There are thousands of farm families who would not benefit fit under such a plan as they will have little or no wheat to market.

"With living costs steadily mounting we would urge immediate consideration of financial assistance for the wheat grower. Your government is fully aware of the fact that the wheat farmer is of equal importance to the factory worker in the Empire's fight for existence."

—"The North-West Line Elevators Association."

Give Aluminum for Victory!

CHAMPION CHRONICLE

STANLEY ORRIS, Editor and Publisher

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Thursday, September 25, 1941

FARMERS URGED NOT TO THRESH DAMP GRAIN

Farmers in Alberta were urged to avoid losses which might be incurred by threshing their grain before it is properly dried, in a statement issued this week by J. R. Sweeney, Deputy Minister of Agriculture.

The statement reads:

"Reports have reached this department that, owing to unfavorable weather conditions, grain is sprouting in the stook and in the swath. In many districts, lower grades will result from these conditions, and losses will be unavoidable. Alberta farmers are urged to use the greatest care in having grain mature before commencing to thresh.

"If threshing is resumed before the grain is dry, further trouble will be experienced with heated grain in the bins or at elevators. Farmers cannot handle heated grain on the farm without sustaining heavy losses and the lack of elevator space this year makes it impossible to

handle any large volume of damp grain at country elevators or terminals."

Farmers who are in doubt as to whether their grain is ready to thresh may obtain tests at local elevators to show the moisture content and whether the time is opportune to thresh.

The Weather

Continued rainfall and snow has further prevented completion of harvest. Precipitation for the week .01.

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Carmangay Local News

CARMANGAY, Sept. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McGinnis and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McGinnis were Lethbridge visitors Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Thompson of Trail, B.C., is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Thompson.

Work on the new curling rink is well under way.

Mrs. H. Morrison held an afternoon tea in aid of the Ladies' Aid on Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Dayman and Eileen were Lethbridge visitors Friday.

CARMANGAY, Sept. 23.—The Women's Auxiliary held their first fall meeting Saturday evening, Sept. 20, with Mrs. Wm. Moore presiding. Instead of the chicken supper which they have held previous years they are holding a card party on Thursday evening, Oct. 2. Whist and bridge will be played. Everybody welcome.

Miss Melba Howard of Lacombe, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E.D. McFarland over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leonard and family of Arrowwood were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. Leonard's father, M. R. Leonard.

Cecil Burns of Vulcan was home over the week-end.

Malcolm McKay and son Ronald, of Macleod were home on Sunday.

Patricia Baldwin, who has been visiting with her parents for the past weeks, left Saturday for Dog Pound to resume teaching there.

Jack Jensen, R.C.A.F., of Den-ville, Ont., was home on leave for a few days last week.

Word was received last week of the sudden death of Billy Lee, 18-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Denbrook (nee Nellie Rozan-berger), at Cascade, Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bond of Gleichen, were visiting in town last Wednesday.

Mrs. James Davey, Sr., is spending a few days with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Davey at Vulcan.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White and Mrs. S. Collier were Champion visitors Friday.

Miss Good was a Lethbridge visitor over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Parker and Miss Mary Parker left Saturday for a week's visit in Nelson, B.C.

Terry Nugent, who is in training with the R.C.A.F. at Brandon, Man., is home on a two weeks leave.

Ethel Nugent of Vulcan, was a Sunday visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Nugent.

Miss Alice Lyckman and Stanley motored to Lethbridge on Tuesday.

Gerald Olsen, who is in training with the R.C.A.F. at Trenton, Ont., is home on leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hood and family of Barons, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Robertson.

A large crowd of relatives, friends and school chums gathered in the United church, Sunday, Sept. 14, to pay their last respects to the late Sgt. Rex Teskey, R.C.A.F. Rev. T. R. Harden in charge of the services, gave a short address. A solo, "Abide With Us," by Mrs. Delmar Shearer, "Onward Christian Soldiers," and a short message from The Legion given by Joe McKie were other features of the service.

The late Sgt. Teskey was born in this district on June 6, 1916 and received his education in the local school. Shortly after the outbreak of the present war he joined the R.C.A.F., receiving his training in various parts of Canada. He left for Overseas in February of this year and was on active service up to the time of his death on August 29. The deepest sympathies of the entire community are extended to the bereaved ones.



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Northbound, mid-day 12:03

Southbound, mid-day 12:55

COMING EVENTS, SALE ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CLASS ADS.

The Ladies' Aid will hold their Harvest Supper at the Hotel Savoy Dining Room, Saturday, September 27th, from 6 to 9 o'clock.

FOR SALE

Quantity of used furniture, contents of Champion Teacherages. Stoves, heaters, beds, floor coverings, tables, chesterfields, chairs, and other articles too numerous to mention. Apply Champion Consolidated Schools.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

As a gesture of appreciation to those of the districts which this paper serves who are enlisted in the armed forces, a paid up subscription is given. This means that a copy of the paper is sent direct each week to any soldier, sailor, airman or nurse on service in Canada or overseas whose names are on record at this office. We are now renewing and revising this list and we wish all those who have relatives in the services to bring in or mail the correct and full address within the next few days. This applies to those who are now on the list as well as any who have joined up since the list was first made.

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CHURCH SERVICES
ROMAN CATHOLIC—Service at 9
a. m. Rev. Father Ritter in charge.

UNITED CHURCH—Rev. Peter Dawson will conduct services in Champion at 7.30 p. m.

**Get Your Job Printing Done
The Chronicle**



"Imagine it taking a war to set us right"

Husband: "There's one thing we can thank Hitler for. He's got us saving at last."

Wife: "Yes! Imagine! Until it became a positive duty we certainly never managed to put anything by each week."

Husband: "I think it's partly because these War Savings Certificates are so simple to buy."

Wife: "You mean the idea of getting the office to deduct a regular amount each week from your salary?"

Husband: "Yes! And how they're mounting up! Quite a nest-egg when you count the interest they're earning."

Wife: "Well the more the merrier, I say! There are lots of things we'll need the money for, as the years roll by!"

The help of every Canadian is needed for Victory. In these days of war the thoughtless selfish spender is a traitor to our war effort. A reduction in personal spending is now a vital necessity to relieve the pressure for goods, to enable more and more labour and materials to be diverted to winning the war. The all-out effort, which Canada must make, demands this self-denial of each of us.

**SPEND LESS — TO BUY MORE
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Barons Local News

BARONS, Sept. 19.—On Thursday evening about 30 friends of Beverly Roberts gathered at her home for a farewell shower before she leaves to attend Mount Royal College. The evening was pleasantly spent by the guests in contests and music. Two contests were won by Betty Doran. Beverly was presented with numerous and beautiful gifts by her assembled friends. A jolly song ending with "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow" concluded the merry evening.

Wednesday afternoon members of the East Garden Girls' club were hostess at a charmingly arranged shower at the home of their supervisor, Mrs. A. F. Jacobson, honoring Miss Mary Turner whose marriage takes place this month. Contests were won by Mrs. D. Shearer and Miss K. Connor. The beautiful and useful gifts were presented to Miss Turner in a basket decorated with pink and white crepe paper. Miss Turner thanked her friends for their kindness and invited all to visit her in her new home in Lethbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Irwin have as their guest Mrs. Edward Bourns of Vancouver, sister of Mrs. Irwin.

Mrs. W. Henker was hostess at a charmingly arranged shower on Thursday evening in honor of Miss Mary Turner, bride elect. The evening was spent in playing bridge, honors going to Miss K. Connor. Following bridge a table of linens was presented to Miss Turner by the assembled friends.

The September meeting of the East G. P. Girls' club was held at the home of Betty Allen on Friday afternoon. Election of officers took place and Betty Allen was elected president with Francis Jacobson vice-president, and Dora Mae Blixt as secretary. Gwen Allen gave a report of the convention she attended as delegate in July, as this was the first meeting since that time. During the afternoon little Anne Jacobson presented Gwen Allen and Beverly Roberts with parcels of handkerchiefs from the other club members and guests at the meeting. Miss Roberts will attend Mount Royal College when it opens for the fall term and Gwen Allen is enrolled at Garbutt's Business College at Lethbridge.

Mrs. H. Turner and Mrs. E. Row were hostess at a shower honoring Mrs. D. Gaudett (nee Orvie Lunde) on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Hodgson. The evening was pleasantly spent in contests and a quiz contest. Mrs. A. Ford was winner of the radio contest. Gifts were presented to the honor guest in a little school house, complete with bell, etc. About 20 friends were present and a variety of useful and pretty gifts were received by Mrs. Gaudett.

Miss Betty Davis of Olds arrived in Barons on Tuesday. She will accompany Mr. and Mrs. Chester to Star Line where she will attend high school.

Miss Gwen Allen left her home for Lethbridge Sunday evening, and will attend Garbutt Business College there this term.

Mrs. M. O. Arnegard was hostess to a number of friends on Tuesday afternoon.

Despite the heavy rain on Monday morning, hunters were able to shoot a number of ducks and many fowl dinners are being served.

The heaviest rain of the year was reported in the Barons district on Monday morning. Almost two inches of rainfall was reported in some parts of the district. At Barons west, 1.86 inches was recorded.

Ladies—Do not be self-conscious on account of unsightly hair or moles, when they can be easily and permanently removed by electrolysis. Also facials.—Mrs. L. Leverington, Suite 1, Frontier Apt., 7th Ave. between 2nd and 3rd St. west, Calgary, above Rug Shop. Phone M5145.

Correspondents wanted to send in news of local happenings to the Champion Chronicle from the following districts: Barons Travers, Fireguard, Blusson Alston, Sanderson and Harmony

Tested Recipes

GREEN TOMATOES

As the chilly fall winds usher in thoughts of winter, the Canadian homemaker looks for ways and means of using the many surplus products found in her kitchen garden.

The large quantities of green tomatoes left on the vines, have always presented a problem to her, and have too often been allowed to waste.

The Consumer Section, Marketing Service, Dominion Department of Agriculture, suggests the following methods of storing and preserving these nutritious fruits:—

Storage

Tomatoes picked in a mature green condition will keep for relatively long period under satisfactory storage conditions. Such green tomatoes must be sound and free from growth cracks, skin punctures, insect and freezing injury.

Each green tomato should be individually wrapped in paper (news-paper will do) and placed in a closed box or drawer.

Another method is to pull the vine before any signs of frost injury are apparent, and suspend the entire vine from the ceiling of the storeroom.

Tomatoes stored in the above-mentioned manner should be maintained at a temperature of about 50 degrees F., and under favorable conditions will continue to ripen until Christmas.

Green Tomato Sauce

2 dozen large tomatoes
1½ dozen apples
¼ pound salt
4 large green sweet peppers
1 red pepper
2 pounds brown sugar
2 ounces mustard
2 tablespoons ground ginger
2 pints vinegar
6 large onions

Wash and slice tomatoes and onions, pare, core and slice apples, slice peppers and take out seeds. Mix spices with sugar and salt and add vinegar. Place on heat until sugar is dissolved, and add to other ingredients. Boil for 1½ hours, then pour into sterilized jars and seal.

Green Tomato Mincemeat

1 peck green tomatoes
1 peck apples
6 pounds brown sugar
2 pounds currants
2 teaspoons cinnamon
2 pounds raisins
2 teaspoons cloves
2 teaspoons allspice

Wash and slice tomatoes. Pare, core and chop apples. Mix and add other ingredients. Bring gradually to boiling point and cook three hours. Pack in sterilized jars and seal while hot.

Green Tomato Pickles

4 quarts green tomatoes
4 small onions
4 green peppers

Slice the tomatoes and onions, sprinkle with ½ cup of salt and leave overnight in a crock. The next morning drain off the brine. Put in a preserving kettle 1 quart of vinegar, 1 level teaspoon each of black pepper, mustard seed, celery seed, cloves, allspice and cinnamon and ¾ cup of sugar. Bring to a boil and add the prepared tomatoes, and peppers. Cook slowly for 30 minutes. Fill jars and seal.

Green Tomatoes Picked Whole

1 peck small green tomatoes
1 quart boiling water
¾ cup pickling salt
1 quart vinegar
3 pounds brown sugar
¼ teaspoonful cayenne pepper
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 teaspoon mixed spice
1 teaspoon celery seed
10 whole cloves

Dissolve salt in boiling water, put in a few tomatoes at a time and boil for 12 minutes, remove each tomato carefully with a wooden spoon to prevent spoiling shape, drain thoroughly and pack in jars. Tie spices in a muslin bag, put in vinegar, add sugar and boil until slightly thickened, remove spice bag, pour liquid over tomatoes, filling sealers full, and seal tightly.

Agriculture the "Poor Relation"

1. That the initial payment by the Wheat Board should be increased to \$1 a bushel for One Northern wheat at the terminal.

2. That the stocks of wheat represented by the carryover as at July 31st, 1941, should be taken off the market and held as a national emergency war reserve.

3. That, as from August 1st, 1941, all sales of wheat should be credited to the crop year 1941-42.

4. That the crop year 1941-42 should be declared an emergency year under the terms of the Prairie Farm Assistance Act, irrespective of market prices prevailing.

The above four requests were made by a delegation, representing the western Wheat Pools, which, on August 9th, interviewed the Wheat Committee of the Federal Government.

The delegation pointed out that principally because of the short crop, the farm revenue from wheat produced in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta will be approximately \$90 million less than last year, and this in the face of continually rising farm costs.

The delegation compared the government's wartime wage policy with its agricultural policy. From the government's viewpoint wage rates are fair and reasonable if they are as high as the highest rates paid between 1926 and December 16th, 1940. If farmers were created on the same basis, the prices of grains would be as follows:

Wheat, per bushel \$1.60
Oats, per bushel69
Barley, per bushel90
Rye, per bushel 1.35
Flax, per bushel 3.00

If Canadian unity is to be maintained, the Wheat Pool memorandum pointed out, and we are to reach our maximum effort in the successful prosecution of the war, the great display between agricultural and labor policy must be eliminated. "We would urge upon the go-

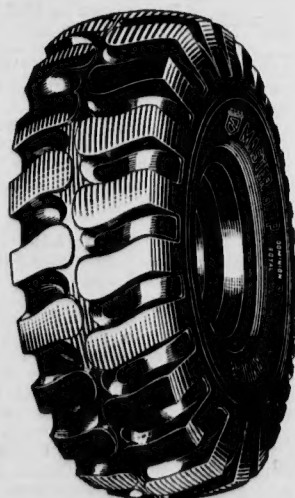
vernment of Canada that the farm producers, who form such a large part of our population, should not be regarded as the "poor relation" of the Canadian family, and that it is in the national interest that steps should be taken to place the living standard of those engaged in farming on a basis commensurate with the rest of the country.

"We realize fully the necessity of maintaining our war industries at the highest possible pitch of efficiency, and that in order to reach this workers should enjoy fair and reasonable wage rates. We know of no foundation upon which the principle can be established that agriculture should continue to produce food supplies at prices below the cost of production in order that other groups of our population, which are already protected by cost of living bonus regulations, should enjoy a lower cost of living at the expense of agriculture.

"In this memorandum we have not tried to emphasize the unrest, dissatisfaction and anxiety now prevailing in the western provinces, largely as a result of lack of adequate farm revenue to maintain reasonable living conditions. At the same time we would like to emphasize that, in spite of conditions at present prevailing, there are neither strikes nor lockouts in the agricultural industry."

Wheat producers of Alberta should clearly understand what is being done to help their cause. Their organizations can go so far. Further progress can be made only by the whole-hearted and energetic support of the whole body of farmers.

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Local Agt., Champion

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NEXT TUESDAY will be the last opportunity to pay your 1941 Income Tax on the Government Monthly Plan. This gives you the privilege of paying in twelve monthly installments without interest, instead of by lump sum in March, 1942.

Here is how to get the monthly payment privilege! Divide the total of your 1940 Income Tax by twelve. This is your first payment — and must be paid to the Receiver General on or before September 30, 1941. You will then pay the same amount before the end of each month for the balance of 1941. When you have estimated your 1941 income tax at the 1941 rate, you will deduct the four payments you will have already made, and pay the remainder in eight equal monthly installments, starting January, 1942.

The Government offers the above plan as the most reasonable and convenient method of meeting income tax obligations. Ask your local Income Tax Office for Installment Income Tax Remittance Form — and any further information you may require.

C. W. G. GIBSON,
Minister of National
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C. F. ELLIOT,
Commissioner of
Income Tax.

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is that owing to new factors which have entered the situation, an increase in Wheat Board payments would only partially meet the present problem. If granted, to make it reasonably satisfactory, it would be necessary to supplement it by direct payments in respect to a large volume of wheat which cannot or will not be delivered to the Canadian Wheat Board this year but which farmers will dispose of otherwise, by sale on the open market, by feeding on their own farms or by sale to neighbors for feeding purposes. To farmers so disposing of their wheat, or to those who have had less than average yields, an increase in wheat board payments unless otherwise supplemented would either be a minor or an inadequate benefit.

"Nevertheless, it is clear that it is in respect to wheat that farm income needs to be adjusted, for wheat is the one important commodity in Canada which is still selling on a basis of distressed prices. It is the wheat farmer on whose behalf adjustment is most urgently required, and those farmers who have also other lines of production require adjustment in respect to their wheat operations.

"For such reasons the board of directors of United Grain Growers Limited advocates that there should be paid to each wheat farmer a bonus on his wheat acreage. It should be applied not on the acreage actually seeded to wheat in 1941, but on what is known as his basic wheat acreage. That is the acreage established by the Canadian Wheat Board for each individual farmer in order to regulate quota deliveries of wheat this year. It is with minor exceptions 65 per cent of the acreage seeded to wheat in 1940. The total of basic wheat acreages established by the Canadian Wheat Board is probably in the neighborhood of eighteen and one-half million acres. A payment of \$3.00 per basic acre would amount to \$55,500,000. Any calculation of western farm income will show that for the current crop year it falls short by at least that amount of enough to provide adequately for agricultural maintenance. That such an estimate is moderate may be seen by noting that if western farmers and farm workers were to receive a cost of living bonus only on the same basis as is being widely applied to industrial and civil service workers, it would amount to some \$45,000,000 or more, and that their need for an adjustment, which which ought to cover production as well as living costs is greater than that of wage earners.

"A few of the comparative advantages of such a plan may be mentioned. It would be unnecessary for the dominion government to reverse decisions it has already made. It would be in conformity with the acreage payments already provided for in connection with the wheat acreage reduction plan and the assumption in that plan of government responsibility for supplementing farmers' limited income from wheat. It would not interfere with feeding of wheat to live stock. It corresponds in principle to the cost of living bonus given to wage earners. Its benefits are equitably distributed with no discrimination against the farmer whose yields this year were low. It would not require to be applied immediately to be effective, but necessary time could be taken by the government of Canada to study the problem, and possibly to bring the plan before Parliament.

"In reviewing the situation the government may properly take into account the fact that as a result of government policies in both countries much higher prices now prevail for wheat in the United States than are available to Canadian farmers. Prices there are quite on a parity with farmers' costs, a state of affairs very different to what prevails in western Canada. The contrast in conditions north and south of the international border, and the natural discontent which such a contrast creates provide one more reason for asking government reconsideration of the plight of the western Canadian wheat farmer.

"In putting forward this plan, the company is showing no lack of sympathy with those who continue to support the plan which it earlier advocated, that of increasing wheat board initial payments. Their efforts are based on the same facts as the efforts of this company, the need of more farm income in western Canada, and the need of government intervention in the situation. To recognize such need is in line with the war effort of Canada, which for maximum effectiveness requires that agriculture be kept functioning not only to strengthen the Canadian economy but also to insure the maximum production of food for supplying Great Britain."

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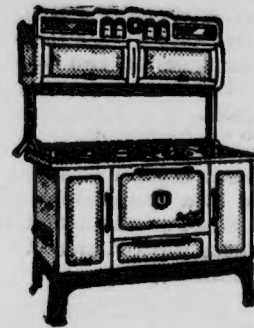
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